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DeFranks et al.

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SPRINGS



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AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated December 27, 2007, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as set forth below. The enclosed petition for a two-month extension of time extends the deadline for responding to May 27, 2008.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.

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